2419.708

aside may be withdrawn with the concurrence of the Head of the Contracting Activity. Proposed procurements for construction which exceed an estimate of \$1,000,000 shall be considered for set-aside on a case-by-case basis

[49 FR 7706, Mar. 1, 1984; 49 FR 10930, Mar. 23, 1984, as amended at 53 FR 46535, Nov. 17, 1988; 64 FR 46097, Aug. 23, 1999]

Subpart 2419.7—The Small Business Subcontracting Program

2419.708 Solicitation Provisions and Contract Clauses.

(d) The Contracting Officer shall insert the provision at 2452.219-70 in negotiated solicitations exceeding \$500,000 (\$1,000,000 for construction) that are not set aside for small business or \$8(a)\$ concerns.

[71 FR 2436, Jan. 13, 2006]

Subpart 2419.8—Small Business Administration Section (8)(a) Program

2419.800 General.

(f) By Partnership Agreement, dated May 21, 2004, the Small Business Administration (SBA) has delegated to the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) the authority to directly execute contracts awarded under SBA's Section 8(a) program. The Senior Procurement Executive has issued internal guidance regarding the direct award of 8(a) contracts, consistent with Civilian Agency Acquisition Council Letter 98–3, "Direct 8(a) Contracting," dated May 1, 1998.

[71 FR 2436, Jan. 13, 2006]

PART 2420 [RESERVED]

PART 2422—APPLICATION OF LABOR LAWS TO GOVERNMENT ACQUISITIONS

Authority: 29 U.S.C. 793; 40 U.S.C. 486(c); 42 U.S.C. 3535(d).

SOURCE: 53 FR 46535, Nov. 17, 1988, unless otherwise noted.

Subpart 2422.14—Employment of the Handicapped

2422.1408 Contract clause.

(c) The Contracting Officer shall insert the clause at 2452.222-70, Accessibility of Meetings, Conferences, and Seminars to Persons with Disabilities, in solicitations and contracts when the contract will require the contractor (including contractor employees and subcontractors) to hold meetings, conferences or seminars.

[71 FR 2437, Jan. 13, 2006]

PART 2424—PROTECTION OF PRI-VACY AND FREEDOM OF INFOR-MATION

Subpart 2424.1—Protection of Individual Privacy

Sec.

2424.103 Procedures.

Subpart 2424.2—Freedom of Information Act

2424.203 Policy.

AUTHORITY: 5 U.S.C. 552, 552a; 40 U.S.C. 486(c); 42 U.S.C. 3535(d).

Source: 49 FR 7708, Mar. 1, 1984, unless otherwise noted.

Subpart 2424.1—Protection of Individual Privacy

2424.103 Procedures.

(b)(2) See 24 CFR part 16 for the HUD regulations which implement the Privacy Act.

Subpart 2424.2—Freedom of Information Act

2424.203 Policy.

See 24 CFR part 15 for the HUD regulations which implement the Freedom of Information Act.

[49 FR 7708, Mar. 1, 1984. Redesignated at 64 FR 46097, Aug. 23, 1999]

PART 2425—TRADE AGREEMENTS ACT

AUTHORITY: 42 U.S.C. 3535(d).

Department of Housing and Urban Development

2425.402 Policy.

(a)(1) It is the Department's policy to determine whether the Trade Agreements Act applies based on the total estimated dollar value of the proposed acquisition before the solicitation is issued, including all line items and options.

[57 FR 59790, Dec. 15, 1992, as amended at 64 FR 46097, Aug. 23, 1999]

PART 2426—OTHER SOCIOECONOMIC PROGRAMS

Subpart 2426.70—Minority Business Enterprises

Sec.

2426.7001 Policy.

2426.7002 Responsibility.

AUTHORITY: 40 U.S.C. 486(c); 42 U.S.C. 3535(d).

Source: $53\ FR\ 46536$, Nov. 17, 1988, unless otherwise noted.

Subpart 2426.70—Minority Business Enterprises

2426.7001 Policy.

It is the policy of the Department to foster and promote Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) participation in its procurement program, to the extent permitted by law and consistent with its primary mission. A "minority business enterprise" is a business which is at least 51 percent owned by one or more minority group members; or, in the case of a publicly-owned business, one in which at least 51 percent of its voting stock is owned by one or more minority group members, and whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more such individuals. For this purpose, minority group members are those groups of U.S. citizens found to be disadvantaged by the Small Business Administration pursuant to Section 8(d) of the Small Business Act.

[60 FR 46156, Sept. 5, 1995. Redesignated at 64 FR 46097, Aug. 23, 1999]

2426.7002 Responsibility.

The Director of the Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization (OSDBU) develops Departmental MBE plans and policies in accordance with Executive Orders 11625 and 12432 and by directive from the Secretary. He or she provides advice and guidance to the Secretary and Primary Organization Heads on MBE functions, reviews and makes recommendations to the Secretary on MBE annual plans and goals, monitors and evaluates the Department's MBE program, and reports on MBE program performance to the Department of Commerce.

[60 FR 46157, Sept. 5, 1995. Redesignated at 64 FR 46097, Aug. 23, 1999]

PART 2427—PATENTS, DATA, AND COPYRIGHTS

Subpart 2427.3—Patent Rights Under Government Contracts

Sec.

2427.305 Administration of patent rights clauses.

2427.305-2 Follow-up by contractor.

AUTHORITY: Sec. 205(c) of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 (40 U.S.C. 486(c)); sec. 7(d) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Act (42 U.S.C. 3535(d)).

Source: $53\ FR\ 46536$, Nov. 17, 1988, unless otherwise noted.

Subpart 2427.3—Patent Rights Under Government Contracts

2427.305 Administration of patent rights clauses.

2427.305-2 Follow-up by contractor.

(b) Contractor reports. Contractors shall complete and submit to the Contracting Officer HUD Form 770, Report of Inventions and Subcontracts, upon receipt of said form. The Contracting Officer shall send the form to those contractors whose contract work may have required the development of inventions upon physical completion of the contract.